United States District Court

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS TEXARKANA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	§	
	§	
v.	§	5:19-CR-22
	§	
ANTONIO OTERO	§	

ORDER ADOPTING THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

The above-styled matter was referred to the Honorable Barry Bryant, United States Magistrate Judge, for administration of a guilty plea under Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. Judge Bryant conducted a hearing on October 29, 2019, in the form and manner prescribed by Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 11 and issued a Report and Recommendation (document #12). Judge Bryant recommended that the Court accept Defendant's guilty plea and conditionally approve the plea agreement. He further recommended that the Court finally adjudge Defendant as guilty of Count 1 of the Information. Count 1 of the Information charges a violation of 12 U.S.C. § 1715z-19, equity skimming. The Court is of the opinion that the Report and Recommendation should be accepted. It is accordingly **ORDERED** that the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge (document #12) is **ADOPTED**. It is further

ORDERED that the Defendant's guilty plea is accepted and approved by the Court. Further, the plea agreement is approved by the Court, conditioned upon a review of the presentence report. It is finally

ORDERED that, pursuant to the Defendant's plea agreement, the Court finds the Defendant **GUILTY** of Count 1 of the Information in the above-numbered cause and enters a **JUDGMENT**

OF GUILTY against the Defendant as to Count 1 of the Information.

SIGNED this 14th day of November, 2019.

Robert W. SCHROEDER III

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE